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MORE POULTRY AND PIG CLUB MEMBERS AT FAIR THIS YEAR

Eighteen Registered Porkers Made Average Gain of 192.8 Pounds During Contest Period—Special Prizes for Grain Sorghums and Peanuts Must Await Harvesting of Crops.

Exhibits at the County Fair by members of the boys and girls poultry and pig clubs were more numerous than last year. The other club exhibits were of superior quality, but were cut somewhat short by the dry weather.

There were eighteen registered pigs on exhibit that weighed on an average of 70 pounds at the beginning of the contest period in February. They made an average gain of 192.8 pounds.

Carroll Nix, who won first prize on Durac Jersey's, paid \$25 for his pig February 1. It weighed 90 pounds.

On September 5 the animal weighed 440 pounds. Counting the time and cost of feed Carroll was out \$28.98, making the total cost of the porker \$53.98. The hog was bought by Daniel Bond for \$100. Carroll received in premiums \$27.50, making a total of \$127.50, which gives him a net profit of \$73.48. It is fair to say, too, that the price of \$100 was not a particularly fancy one. If the hog had been sold on the market it would have brought \$88.

Oscar White won first prize on Poland China pigs. He paid \$25 for his pig January 24, and it weighed 81 pounds.

Its weight September 5 was 400 pounds. Owing to the fact that Oscar had a pasture in which the porker could run he was at less expense for feed and labor of caring for it than Carroll Nix. He was out in labor and feed only \$10.54, making the total cost for the prize winner \$44.64.

A. M. Bourland paid him \$75 for his hog, and his prize money was \$17.50, so that Oscar's net profit was \$47.86.

Following is a list of prizes on hogs: Durac-Jersey—Carroll Nix, Vernon, first, \$7.50; Ray Nix, Vernon, second, \$5; Oran Hurdleson, Thalia, third, \$3; Poland China—Oscar White, Vernon, first, \$7.50; James Hughes, Tolbert, second, \$5; Alvan Casey, Thalia, third, \$3.

Bruce Reed Wins on Baby Beef.

Daniel Bond offered a special prize of \$15 for the best Durac Jersey and the principal of the East Vernon School offered a \$5 War Certificate, both of which went to Carroll Nix. Lon Alexander of Childress offered a special prize of \$10 for the best Poland China, which was won by Oscar White.

Bruce Reed of Vernon won the first prize of \$7.50 on baby beef; H. Price won first prize of \$3 on corn; Alvin January of Tolbert, route 2, and Emmet Madden, route 2, Vernon, Vernon, won first and second on peanuts.

On feterita Earl Madden of route 2, Vernon, and Earl January, route 2, Tolbert won first and second, Ennis Hughes, route 2 Tolbert, and Walter Kohl, route 4 Vernon, won first and second on milo maize. The prizes in each case were \$3 and \$2, respectively.

Earl Madden won \$3 on kafir and Walter Kohl won 3 on hagaria.

The special prize offered by Dixon Dry Goods Company for the best yield of grain sorghums, which includes kafir, milo, feterita and hagaria, and the special prize offered by the Chamber of Commerce for peanuts cannot be paid until these crops are gathered.

As persons harvest these crops they are requested to turn in to N. R. Tisdale, county demonstrator, their record books, and when all are in the prizes can be announced.

Lila Alred Wins on General Display.

Among the first year girls on general display, Lila Alred won first prize, and Alice Martin won second prize, of \$7.50 and \$5, respectively.

Eva King, Eloise Gafford and Christine Gregory were given honorable mention.

Leslie King and Luna Killingsworth won first and second prizes of \$7.50 and \$5, respectively, among second year girls.

Honorable mention for work in poultry growing was given Carolyn Sherman, Mayme Smith, Eunice Reeves, Irene Reeves, Marvin Belle, D. Truett, Fred Nix and Jennie Belle, Oglesby.

The following special prizes were given:

EXHIBIT OF WEST VERNON AWARDED COUNTY FAIR PRIZE

Jackson Springs Is Second and Bourland Consolidated Third Among Community Booths—More Than 4,500 People Passed Through Gates Saturday—Individual Premiums.

It is estimated that 4,500 people paid admission to the County Fair Saturday. Inclement weather Friday prevented carrying out the program as announced, and no admission was charged.

The carnival company was sidetracked by order of Uncle Sam, to help relieve freight congestion, so that feature was missing. However, since no charge was made for occupying the grand stand or witnessing the races few seemed to miss the entertainers. Music was furnished both days by the Frederick, Okla., band.

Community exhibits were high class, and persons who had doubted the advisability of trying to hold an exposition because of continued dry weather admitted the heartening effect following a fine rain, upon the people of witnessing A-1 exhibits of cotton, melons, vegetables, fruits, and grain crops. There were fewer exhibits than a year ago, but they were equally good.

With seventy different varieties of garden and field crops, fruits, etc., West Vernon won the first prize of \$100 offered on the best community exhibit in the agricultural department.

Jackson Springs won the second prize of \$50, and the third prize of \$25 went to the Bourland Common Consolidated school district. Lockett was awarded fourth place, but no money was offered on the fourth prize.

The exhibits were judged on general arrangement, variety and quality. West Vernon scored 100, Jackson Springs was given 88 1-3 points, Bourland 78 1-3, and Lockett 66 1-3.

The West Vernon exhibit contained seventy different kinds of vegetables, garden and farm products. The Jackson Springs booth contained sixty-six.

No prizes were offered on individual entries. One booth, however, was filled with various articles of farm, garden and orchard products. C. R. Dale, J. E. Lutz, T. R. Oliver, J. V. Ramsey, T. B. Priddy, Royal Duke, W. C. Lundy, J. H. Ayres, Jim Callahan, Mrs. Harry Mason, N. A. Lipscomb, F. Schur, Otto Obenshous, H. P. Parker, W. B. Morgan, Selma Haseloff, Jr., J. E. Collins and other citizens of the county placed items in this display.

The maize heads and few items in the West Vernon booth were sold for \$2.40 and the money contributed to the Red Cross.

The exhibits of culinary products were extensive, although most of them came from women living in Vernon. It is thought by the directors that delay in getting out the premium list made it difficult for women living in the county to get ready exhibits for this department.

Two names appear in the following list of winners in the culinary department, first and second prizes were awarded in the order named: graham bread, Mrs. Joe Napier; ginger bread, Mmes. C. M. Blair and S. E. Lloyd; six doughnuts, Mmes. C. M. Blair and Howard Lismann; cinnamon rolls, Mmes. M. G. Neathery and N. R. Heath; eight rolls, Mmes. Joe Napier and M. G. Neathery; Boston brown bread, Mmes. C. J. Farrell and Joe Napier; spice cake, Mmes. J. H. Watts and C. J. Farrell; chocolate cake, Mmes. F. L. Massie and R. V. Parr; coconut layer cake, Miss Nelle Pettit; devil's food cake, Miss Nelle Pettit; potato cake, Mmes. M. G. Neathery and C. J. Farrell; ginger cookies, Mmes. S. E. Lloyd and C. M. Blair; oat meal cookies, Mrs. C. J. Farrell and Miss Lucile Samuels; pumpkin pie, Mmes. C. M. Blair and M. G. Neathery; sweet potato pie, Mrs. C. M. Blair.

Dewberries, Mrs. J. H. Pettit; plums, Mrs. J. H. Watts; peaches, Mmes. Harry Mason and J. H. Watts; tomatoes, Mmes. J. H. Watts and Harry Mason; beets, Mmes. M. G. Neathery and J. H. Pettit; green beans, Mmes. J. H. Pettit and M. G. Neathery; green peppers, Mrs. J. H. Watts; squash, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; turnip greens, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; Spinash, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; black-eyed peas, Mmes. N. R. Tisdale and J. H. Pettit; sweet potato.

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AT THE BASE HOSPITAL, FT. SAM HOUSTON



Clean white beds, the very best of attention from the surgeons and nurses, and plenty of cheer-up considerations can be made. Mothers and other relatives and friends with their beloved soldiers in the hospital can find comfort in the fact that their boys are not being neglected. The "Y" man supplements the regular ministrations of the military and the Red Cross with frequent and regular visits, bringing books, writing the patient's letters, and complying with his every wish as nearly as it is possible for him to do so. The Y. M. C. A. secretary in the picture is making his regular afternoon visit at the base hospital, distributing books to the soldiers.

When the soldiers reach the convalescent period, the "Y" furnishes movies, entertainment, and music for the convalescing soldiers.

FORMER VERNON BOY IS DEAD IN FRANCE

SCHOOL OPENS HERE IN NEW AUDITORIUM

CITY DIRECTORY IS BEING DISTRIBUTED

ED JOHNSON WAS MEMBER OF AMBULANCE CORPS IN 36TH DIVISION.

Ed Johnson, formerly of Vernon, is dead in France. Advice to this effect was received Saturday. Mr. Johnson was a member of an ambulance corps in the 36th Division, and lived in Waco. He was a son of the late W. E. Johnson, and was well known to persons who had lived here for some time.

Mrs. O. T. Youngblood, sister of the boy who has made the supreme sacrifice, went to Waco Saturday night to be with her mother. Her husband, O. T. Youngblood, came from Paducah to Vernon with his wife, who took the train here. His father, T. J. Youngblood, drove the son in his automobile to Quanah yesterday morning, as the young man was required to return to Paducah.

Mr. Johnson was a nephew of Mrs. C. T. Sullivan of Vernon.

It is not known whether he was killed during a battle or by accident. Information received merely states that he is dead as the result of gun-shot wound.

MISS REED TO STUDY NURSING.

Young Woman Who Has Lived in Vernon Past Seven Months Goes to Galveston Tonight.

Miss Glessie Reed leaves tonight for Galveston, where she goes to take up the study of nursing. She is going under auspices of the Red Cross and in response to a call for trained nurses. The course will require three years for completion.

Miss Reed came to Vernon about seven months ago, and has been cashier for Dixon Dry Goods Company. She lived in California before coming here. Miss Reed is a niece of Harper Reed, and has made many friends in Vernon. Their best wishes will go with her.

Josephine Thomason Buried Here.

Funeral services of little Josephine Thomason were held Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. L. Cardwell, grandmother of the child. Rev. H. M. Long was in charge. Josephine was two years old, and died Sunday morning at her home in Electra. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomason, who formerly lived in Vernon. Mother and father accompanied the remains here. Interment was made in East View Cemetery. The Record joins friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved loved ones.

Planting Turnips Around Tolbert.

W. R. Phillips of Route 2, Tolbert, was in Vernon yesterday. Mr. Phillips says that people in his community are all planting turnips. He thinks there will be a considerable acreage of rye or wheat planted for fall and winter pasture.

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SUPERINTENDENT SISK SAYS REMODELED SCHOOL BEST WORK SHOP HE HAS SEEN.

NAMES OF OFFICERS, TAX-PAYERS AND BUSINESS MEN ARE GIVEN.

E. A. Scott of the Hudspeth Directory Company of El Paso was in Vernon yesterday distributing copies of the new city directory. The book contains 192 pages and is well bound. It contains a general directory of the citizens of Vernon, business and professional firms and corporations.

There is a street directory, a complete record of the State government, including the names of members of the legislature and the county officials of the State.

The directory also contains a list of the churches, educational institutions, secret and benevolent organizations of Vernon; also a complete classified business directory. There is a list of taxpayers in Wilbarger county, outside of Vernon.

The names of 2,250 persons living in Vernon appear in the directory.

COTTON TO LOCAL COMPRESS.

Closing of Plants in Southwest Oklahoma Will Increase Product Handled in Vernon.

The Vernon plant of the Interstate Compress Company will handle more cotton than was at first anticipated this year, as a result of the closing of a number of plants in Southwest Oklahoma. N. B. Hodge attended a meeting of representatives of the company in Fort Worth Friday and Saturday.

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Classes were started today. It was announced that persons desiring to study typewriting would have to furnish their own typewriters, which will be taken care of. Commercial subjects are open only to juniors and seniors.

So far there is no boy in the senior class. Young men who would have been seniors have gone to college under the selective service act.

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Mores Theatre

Watch for dates on "My Four Years in Germany," "Tarzan of the Apes," "Italy's Flaming Front," "Pershing's Crusaders."—Also coming, the Lyceum Course, consisting of 4 big musical numbers, beginning soon.

TODAY—TUESDAY.
EDNA GOODRICH

noted stage beauty in
"Her Husband's Honor"
with David Powell. Also Comedy.



15 MEN REGISTERED AUGUST 24 IN CLASS

SEVEN GIVEN DEFERRED CLASSIFICATION AND ONE QUESTIONNAIRE OUT.

Fifteen of the twenty-three men who registered under the Selective Service Order on August 24 in this county have been placed in Class I. One is in Class III, four in Class IV, two in Class V, and one man has not yet returned his questionnaire.

Since all of the Class I men who had previously registered in Wilbarger county have been sent to training camps, it is likely that the men just classified will be called at an early date.

The number printed before the names below is the serial number, while that coming after the names is the order number. The Class I men are: 122 Frank James Kirk, R. I., Chillicothe, 1; 114 Homer E. Wilson, Vernon, 5; 112 Rester Arley Brooks, R. 3, Tolbert, 7; 131 Geo. Dewey Drake, R. 3, Tolbert, 8; 123 John Jokel, Vernon, 9; 120 Hugh E. Starnes, Oklaunion, 10; 116 John Emmett Truelove, Vernon, 11; 110 Francis Edgar Budd, Vernon, 13; 124 Vannie Jobe, R. 1, Oklaunion, 11; 125 Henry Albert Emil Hasseloff, R. 3, Vernon, 15; 126 Clarence Dallas Hancey, R. 1, Thalia, 16; 111 Claude Britt, Vernon, 18; 145 John Wallace Waldrif, R. 1, Chillicothe, 19; 121 Harlie Howard Rogers, R. 1, Harrold, 21; 118 Bright Snell Thomas Vernon, 23. The following men are in Class IV: 130 Burl Eliston, R. 1, Harrold, 2; 113 Fred C. Premer, R. 1, Thalia, 4; 125 Reinhold Harrold, 22. The Class V men are 119 Harrold, 22. The Vass V men are 119 James Charlie Smith, Vernon, 6; and 129 Herbert Richard Evans, Oklaunion, 17. Waiter Raleigh Hooper, Vernon, serial No. 125, order No. 3, was the only Class III man.

The questionnaire of Lacy Thomas, Vernon, has not been returned.

Buy your school supplies at Fergeson Drug Co. Adv. 67-21c

W. M. Hall came over from Burkhardt and spent Sunday with friends in Vernon.

Fresh candy at Pendleton & Son's Drug Store. Adv. 67-21c

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Have proved their worth in thousands of cases.

Read this woman's testimony. Mrs. J. E. Timmins, Chillicothe, Texas, says: "I had suffered for a long time from my back. It was weak and lame and ached constantly. I could hardly bend over or do any lifting. The first box of Doan's Kidney Pills helped me and I continued using them, until entirely rid of the complaint."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney pills, the same that Mrs. Timmins had. Foster-Millburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv. 67

Fargo News

Fargo, September 9.—(By special correspondence.)—The Methodist meeting closed Sunday night with two additions to the church. Rev. J. W. Story returned to his home at Clarendon Monday.

Lieut. Moss Lovelace has returned to Camp Pike, Ark., after spending a few days with his mother. Mrs. W. E. Lovelace.

Presiding Elder M. Phelan held the regular quarterly conference at the Methodist church Saturday, August 30. Will and Archie Castleberry were in Vernon last week.

J. T. Marr has been busy for several days digging a well. R. E. Harrel was a business visitor in Vernon last week.

Miss Trema and Lena Marlow of Vernon were at Fargo last week visiting friends.

Floyd Lefors is progressing nicely with his business course at Holcomb Training School.

Miss Willie Bee Davie was in Vernon last week.

I. M. Collier and family left this week for Arizona to make their home.

J. T. Parker was a business visitor at Vernon Saturday.

Little Beatrice Azilea Crisp is real sick this week with tonsilitis.

C. S. Smith and family were in Vernon this week.

J. L. Crisp, Geo. Goins, D. J. and Mrs. Wilhelm were in Burkhardt Monday and Tuesday. On account of rain and bad roads they did not get home until Friday. They reported a good rain from beyond Wichita Falls. Miss Ruth Lefors was in Vernon Saturday.

The Red Cross Knitters met with Miss Willie Bee Davie this week.

A. V. Bellar, Horton Shearer and Mrs. Shearer were in Vernon last week.

Mrs. Jim Catlin and children of Floyd county, spent several days with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Lovelace, and her brother Lieutenant Moss Lovelace, who was at home from Camp Pike, Ark.

Miss Beva McGill left this week for Wichita Falls, where she has a position in the public schools.

Mrs. Shaw of Quanah visited her parents, I. M. Collier and family before they left for Arizona.

Presiding Elder M. Phelan, preached at the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

C. T. Mason and family were in Vernon Friday.

Shelby Lovelace of Electra was at

home for a few days last week.

A large crowd of Fargo citizens attended the County Fair at Vernon last week.

W. W. Jackson was in Vernon Saturday.

H. D. Lefors and family were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Barrel of coca cola just received at Pendleton's Drug Store. Adv. 67-21c

M. H. Kester leaves this morning for Fort Worth to spend the week with his daughter, Mrs. F. O. Dean.

Buy your school supplies at Fergeson Drug Co. Adv. 67-21c

Ed S. Smith, who is spending much time at Burkhardt since the Fowler gusher came in, was at home Sunday.

Pens, ink, tablets, crayons. Fergeson Drug Co. Adv. 67-21c

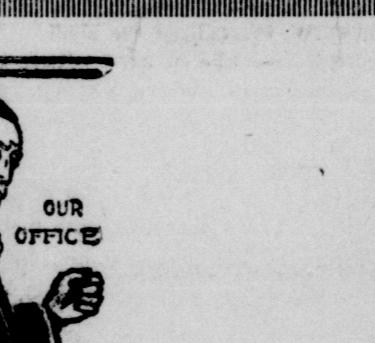
Mrs. S. C. Milner, who has been living with her son, T. J. Milner, went to Comanche Saturday night to visit her daughter.



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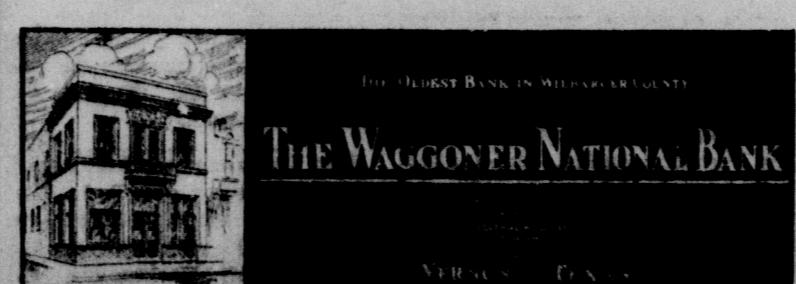


DID you ever think about teaching that boy of yours to be self-reliant and provident for his future?

Did you ever think what a help it would have been to you if your parents had started you early with a bank account?

Early training in the care of his own funds will equip him better to succeed in life than the wif of a fortune at maturity.

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RITA JOLIVET and LEAH BAIRD
in "One Law for Both."

A powerful plea for one law—socially, economically, and in the relations between the sexes—6 acts, 6. Also FORD-STERLING Keystone Comedy, "SNOW-WHITE" in 2 acts.

WEDNESDAY.

The girl with the eyes that speak—

BESSIE LOVE
in
"The Great Adventure."

The Los Angeles School Girl who through sheer merit rose from the ranks of the 'extras' to stardom within a few months. Also Loneome Luke Comedy, "FURNITURE MOVERS."

THURSDAY—(FOX STANDARD.)

WILLIAM FARNUM
in the 1918 version of
"The Plunderer."

A two-fisted fight for gold with Romance and Adventure; a star that is without fear. A fight for love and gold, but see Also Napoleon and Sally, the world's only Monkey Comedians in "FROM JUNGLE TO TROUBLE."

FRIDAY—NORMA TALMADGE in "LAW OF COMPENSATION."

SATURDAY—"VIRGINIA PEARSON in "THE FIRE-BRAND." Also CHAS. CHAPLIN in "BY THE SEA."

Beginning Monday, Sept. 15, an additional 5c will be added to adult tickets only. The constant increase in prices of pictures and raise in all things, will, we feel, justify us in so doing. Hope our patrons will understand fully, our position.

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DISTRICT AGENCY FOR MISS MADDOX

HOME DEMONSTRATION WORKER RESIGNS TO TAKE UP WORK IN LOUISIANA.

Miss Mary Sue Maddox, home demonstration agent for Wilbarger county for the past eighteen months, has resigned her position, effective Saturday, and will become district agent for ten parishes under the Louisiana Agricultural and Mechanical College. Her headquarters will be at Baton Rouge, La.

Miss Maddox expects to leave Vernon Sunday and spend a few days visiting relatives at Weatherford, her former home, before going to Baton Rouge to take up her new duties.

Miss Maddox began her work in Wilbarger county March 1st, 1917, coming here from Weatherford after a service of three years with the girls' club work in Parker county. She introduced the work here and, notwithstanding the late start, she enrolled 181 girls in the club the first year. This was considered a splendid record, under the circumstances, but this year she enrolled 419 girls, placing Wilbarger among the leading counties in Texas in the girls' club work.

In the first year's work in Parker county, Miss Maddox succeeded in interesting only 67 girls, and her rolls showed less than 300 members the third year of the work there.

The work of Miss Maddox in Wilbarger county will result in untold good in this section. Her activities have not been confined to the girls alone. Whenever and wherever the opportunity offered she organized home economics clubs among the women. Numerous demonstrations in war-time cooking have been given, and in this way the benefits of the home demonstration work have been as nearly as possible carried into every home in the county.

This summer, with the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce, Miss Maddox has operated a community canner. Vegetables, fruits and meats have been canned for the people at actual cost. This service has heretofore been confined to the more populous counties of the state.

Miss Mary Jessie Stone, district agent for Northwest Texas in the home demonstration work, will be here tomorrow and will announce a successor to Miss Maddox. Miss Ohmie Wilcox has been assistant to Miss Maddox for several months and will probably be named to have charge of the work in Wilbarger county.

Miss Maddox is regarded as perhaps the best home demonstration agent in Texas, and the people of Wilbarger county will regret to lose her services. Her new position came as a promotion and she felt that she could not decline the offer.

Thalia News.

Thalia, Sept. 4.—(By special correspondence.)—A heavy rain fell here last night and this morning, and it is still raining.

The rain began ginning last week. A good many bales have been turned out. Cotton in this country is better than people expected.

The Christian meeting began Saturday night.

The Baptist Red Fork Association met at this place last Tuesday night, and closed Friday. The church was crowded each day with delegates, members and visitors. We had with us a Camp pastor, who gave us a fine lecture on the work he had been doing among our soldier boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reynolds have a new baby in their home.

Mrs. A. N. Vernon of Crowell spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Garland Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thacker of Crowell were in town Monday night.

Hugh and Dave Shultz went to Vernon Sunday.

Dr. Main, son Jack, and daughter, Emma, returned from Colorado last week. They had been visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Carl Bledsoe.

Sam Scales and Dick Coffman were in Gray county last week. They report crops fine up there.

J. A. Abston and family visited their son, Less, at Camp Cody, New Mexico, last week.

A. J. Haney of Vernon was here Saturday looking after his farm.

Base Burner Coke.

This is your last chance to buy some of that Alabama Coke as I only have a few tons left.

E. P. ROBERTSON.

1/4 Adv. Phone 376.

Maitland Coal at Shamourger's, Phone 130. Adv. 68-4t

Lieutenant and Mrs. Gaines L. Tanner who have been spending their honeymoon in Fort Worth and other places, have returned to Vernon for a few days with Mrs. Tanner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Eakle, before going to Camp Logan, at Houston, where Lieutenant Tanner is stationed.

Harrold News.

Harrold, Sept. 9.—(By special correspondence.)—The rain we were so fortunate in getting last week put a good season in the ground and the farmers are taking advantage of it in preparing for their fall crop of wheat.

Mrs. E. R. Watkins has resigned as a teacher in our school and has accepted a position in the Duncan, Okla., school. The vacancy will be filled by Miss Hazard.

Mrs. J. L. Showers, who has been very ill for the past week, is reported some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Leverett, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Burgess, left for Wheeler County Tuesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Lessie Watkins left Friday afternoon to join her husband who is in training at Fort Sill, Okla.

Emmit Huffman, who is an employee in the Burkhardt oil field, was in town Thursday afternoon.

Harvey Allen was in Electra Friday.

Mrs. H. A. Stroud and Little daughter, Elizabeth, returned to their home in Electra Tuesday.

A. R. Crawford was in Vernon on business Wednesday.

Misses Pattie, Rosa and Cash Burgess attended the Fair at Vernon Friday.

Mrs. Arthur Watkins was in Electra shopping Wednesday.

Mr. Hammer of Chillicothe has returned to his home, after a short visit with his son, A. T. Hammer.

Mrs. McFulson is again in Harrold spending a few days with relatives.

Oscar Havens was in Burkhardt on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Little and Miss Mary Cobb were among those who attended the fair at Vernon Friday.

R. Cobb was in Vernon Thursday.

J. T. Cameron transacted business in Burkhardt Saturday.

J. L. Showers was a Vernon visitor Monday.

Geo. King, son of Dr. J. C. King, had the misfortune to break an arm Saturday afternoon while attempting to crank a Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Minnick of Burkhardt were visiting at the Rook home Sunday.

Rev. Tooley filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Marriage licenses were issued Friday to John R. Cox and Mrs. Nannie Henry, both of Tolbert, and Saturday to Sam Wilkinson and Miss Irby Cobran; Remond Looyengood, of Call Field, and Miss Marie Frost, of Toledo, Ohio.

J. T. Cardelliac returned from Chillicothe yesterday where he went Saturday to arrange his personal affairs preparatory to taking up his work with the Vernon Cotton Oil Company as mechanical engineer.

Tolbert News.

Tolbert, Sept. 8.—(By special correspondence.)—Everybody is rejoicing over the recent good rains and also over the cool pleasant weather that we are now having. The rains came too late to benefit anything except very late cotton, but will cause the grass to grow and put the ground in fine shape for sowing fall wheat.

Most people have sowed a turnip patch. Quick growing vegetables such as turnips, radishes, mustard and lettuce have plenty of time to make before freezing weather as they are not affected by an ordinary frost. People should also plant seedbeds for early spring eating.

Rev. Hudson filled his regular appointment at the M. E. Church Sunday morning.

Rev. Agee preached at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

John R. Cox and Mrs. Nannie Henry surprised their many friends by getting married last Friday. We wish this happy couple, who are old in years, but young in heart, many more happy useful years.

Mrs. T. L. Taylor of Bisbee, Ariz., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rice have had a letter from their son Frank Rice, of the 36th Division in France, telling of his safe arrival across the sea. He writes that he is very well pleased.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Porterfield, of Oklahoma, spent the week end at the home of Mr. Porterfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Porterfield.

Misses Winnie and Velma Porterfield will leave Friday for Dallas where they will enter the Southwestern University for the coming term.

Jack English who has been operated on for appendicitis is reported to be getting along nicely.

B. F. Johnson who has been suffering from an acute attack of rheumatism is reported better.

A large crowd of young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dockery last Tuesday evening where they were entertained by music and games, after which, a delicious course of ice cream and cake was served. The occasion was to honor the departure of their son Ethridge and Rufus Kitchen. Ethridge left Wednesday for Camp Mabry where he will take mechanical training in the aviation corps. He had the misfortune of losing his suit case which held his clothes and other valuables while en route to his destination. Presumably it was taken by mistake, as the one left in its place was of no value.

Captain C. W. Presnall, of the Medical Reserve Corps, who enlisted from Trinidad, Colo., and served for six months on the Western front, and who has been sent back to the "States" to recuperate, visited his mother, Mrs. M. J. Umberson and his sister, Mrs. B. C.

Wood at this place last Saturday. Captain Presnall spent the year that he was overseas in France, and speaks highly of the French people. He says that they all work and live on one-half what we American people live on and yet have plenty, and that it would take ten years of the present war conditions for us to realize the war conditions as they exist over there.

The raising of the railroad dump has given employment to a large number of our men and boys for the past four or five weeks.

Elliott News.

Elliott, Sept. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—Fred Raines and Melvin Snerlock went to Wichita Falls Saturday, where the latter joined the ship-builders.

The farmers of this community are now picking their cotton. The yield is light. E. Leichtleiter expects 12 bales of cotton from his 40 acres.

A. F. McCain, a well known farmer of this community, is now working at Burkhardt. Mr. McCain purchased a new \$325 Indian Motorcycle at Wichita Falls.

Rev. J. W. Morgan, pastor of the Bethel church here, has moved to Davidson, Okla.

Rev. J. C. Clement is visiting here from Wellington. Bro. Clement says there are fine crops on the plains.

A good rainfall here last Monday.

C. T. Waggoner, F. H. Steinman, and F. C. Floyd were summoned on the jury last week.

Amos Bates came home from Electra last week. Mr. Bates has been ill for the last few days.

J. R. Glover was called to Vernon on business last week.

Mrs. R. A. Rivers spent the day with Mrs. C. B. Mason Saturday.

Ira Luttrell left for San Antonio on the 5th, where he will be at the service of Uncle Sam.

A. E. Sides, George Organbride Mack Barber and his son, Walter, accompanied by their families, passed through Vernon Thursday returning to their homes in Van Zandt county, after visiting several days at Lubbock. They are friends of J. W. Brock. Mr. Sides said that they were highly pleased with Wilbarger county and it is one of the best they passed through on the trip.

Colley Briggs has recently been transferred from Camp Dick to the aviation section at Berkley, Calif., according to word received by friends in Vernon.

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O. T. Youngblood returned to his home in Paducah yesterday after spending Sunday with his father, T. J. Youngblood. Mr. Youngblood says Cooke county had fine rains last week.

Mrs. J. N. Grimes, who has been employed for eight years at the Bailey Hotel, has moved to Albuquerque, N. M., on account of the health of her son, Russell McKay.



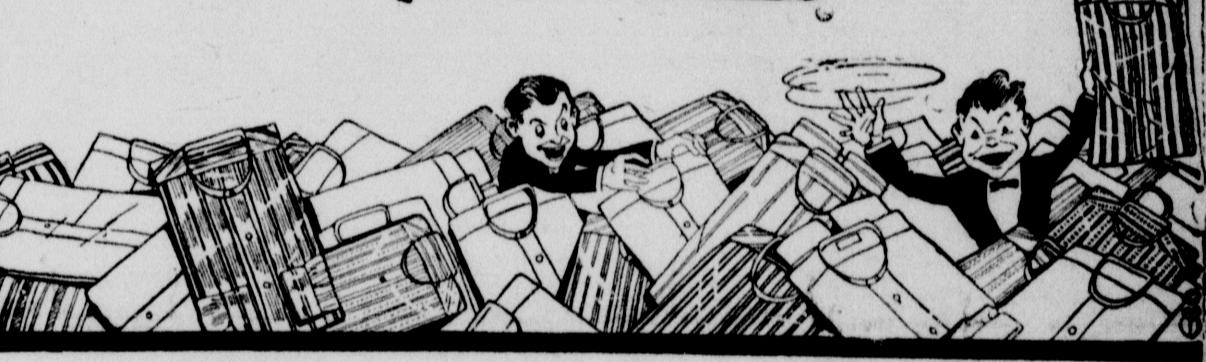
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Lieutenant and Mrs. Gaines L. Tanner who have been spending their honeymoon in Fort Worth and other places, have returned to Vernon for a few days with Mrs. Tanner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Eakle, before going to Camp Logan, at Houston, where Lieutenant Tanner is stationed.

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A PLATFORM WITHOUT ISSUES.

The platform adopted by the state Democratic convention at Waco last week left much to be desired, it seems to The Record. It dealt in generalities, and was thus a document to which few could object. It was specific in recommendations to the Legislature on both the prohibition and suffrage questions. Under the circumstances the platform was as much a commendation of what had already been accomplished, as it was a recommendation for future action, since women suffrage and state-wide prohibition are already effective in Texas.

So nearly settled are these two questions that they are no longer debated.

With reference to education, the platform dealt in abstractions. There is no serious opposition to providing adequate educational facilities in Texas. It is only when we come to the application of methods that issues arise. The same is true with reference to the declaration in favor providing money at a low rate of interest to farmers.

The desirability of such a step will not be questioned, but the convention stopped short of even suggesting a way to make this declaration operative. Any well informed person knows that the Homestead Law in its present form is one of the chief obstacles in the way of farmers getting cheap money, but the convention avoided an expression of its judgment as to how cheap money is to be obtained for Texas farmers.

As reflected in the platform, the Democrats of Texas seem woefully lacking of political timber. And yet the state never faced greater issues than some which confront us at this time. A great portion of the commonwealth is suffering from a drouth of unprecedented severity. Thousands of Texas farmers have been compelled to abandon their homes. We are in the throes of the most titanic war of history. With the labor supply depleted to fill the ranks of the army, we have economic questions of grave importance that must be solved if Texas is to develop as she should and is to carry her part of the war burden.

To sum up the platform, it seems that the convention desired harmony above all else, and was willing to buy it by the sacrifice of duty. The Waco platform is broad enough for anybody to stand on. It challenges nobody and raises no issues. In this respect it is a wonderful place of political literature.

No thing of larger importance to Wilbarger county has been secured than permission to sell the highway improvement bonds in District No. 1, and no time could have been more auspicious. That important artery of travel from Oklaunion to Vernon needs to be permanently constructed and it is promised work will begin quickly. At this time it will benefit hundreds who must have employment. While the expenditure of money on public works when every muscle is strained to win the war can not be encouraged promiscuously, but the importance of this is attested in that it received approval of the Government commission appoint-

ed which undertakings were vital to the war-time efficiency of the nation. Wilbarger county and Vernon have gone ahead while most communities have been standing still. As a result they will be out in the lead when normal times return.

TREES TAMED WESTERN NEBRASKA.

Trees tamed western Nebraska. They have proven beneficial to every community; and, conversely, the destruction of woodland has been followed by calamity.

The advantages of a grove to every farm home in Wilbarger county are too vivid to need discussion. Fire wood, posts, a home park which would add so much to the comfort and happiness of the wife and children, all would come. These would enhance the price of a farm, to say nothing of their effect on the county as a whole.

With a grove on every farmstead Wilbarger county would appear to the tourist or the prospective settler as a paradise. That the planting of trees on every farm would materially modify the tendency to hot winds and help stop dust storms no one can authoritatively deny.

Now is a good time to plan to plant trees. It would be no less patriotic for community Councils of Defense or Boys and Girls Clubs than is much of their work calculated to help directly in winning the war.

Milk is one article of diet on which saving is folly says one of America's leading scientists. Cut down the allowance of bread or almost any other food, but use plenty of milk, this investigator declares. The tendency has been to regard milk as a luxury, or, at most, an accessory, but hardly as a staple diet, even for growing children after they can digest meat and bread and cookies. Heeding this scientist's advice will tend to raise "Old Bossy" in public estimation. What is far more important, it will give us

stronger boys and girls who will grow into more stalwart men and women. At least those of us who have cows would do well to study the various ways of using milk for food.

Get your coca cola at Pendleton's. 67-2c Adv.

Ladd and Jouett, Service Car station. Day phone 19, night 121. Adv. 63-8t

W. F. Russell of Altus, Okla., spent Sunday with his brother, Roy C. Russell.

Miss Lena Gilbert left yesterday to enter Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. She will graduate from College this year.

Uncle Sam says lay in your winter supply of coal now. You'd better take his advice and buy coal today. C. D. Shamburgh. Phone 130. Adv. 68-4t

Aubrey D. Green is planning to go to Stillwater, Okla., this week, where he will enter Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College.

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White City News.

White City, Sept. 9, 1918.—(By special correspondence.)—The cotton has become dry enough to pull again and the farmers have picked in most of the fields.

Sunday school was held at the church Sunday morning, followed by singing Sunday night.

The White City Red Cross ladies met at the school building Monday evening at 4 o'clock for instruction for making more hospital garments. Mrs. Perry White is instructor of the sewing.

Most every one from this community was in Vernon Thursday to see the boys before they left for Camp Travis.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams and daughter, Miss Una Mae; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Knapp and children, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Kemp at Odell Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. J. Dunson and son, Seymour, also Mr. and Mrs. Will Germany, and Miss Alice Starr, were in Vernon Saturday attending the Fair.

Mrs. L. A. Anderson and two children spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. D. D. Kemp of Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Knapp and children spent Saturday night with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gauntt and family, attended the fair Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stroud and son, Jarrold, also their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stroud, attended the Fair Saturday.

Miss May Coffey visited Misses Cornelia and Jewell Kays Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. J. Dunson received a card Saturday from her son, Mark Dunson, stating he had moved from Camp Travis to Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Mrs. J. C. Thompson, who has been

ill for some time, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes attended church at Odell Sunday and visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry White attended the Fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Germany visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Starr, Sunday evening.

Mrs. M. A. Coffey and children visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Floyd Sunday.

Homer Hite has returned from Newport News, Va., where he went for work in the ship yards.

Theron Hobson and Miss Eula Brannon visited Arthur and Luther, and Misses Bertha and Fannie Gauntt Sunday.

Miss Eula Billings is visiting Mrs. Whatley near Red River.

Mrs. J. W. Gauntt received a card from her son, Albert, Monday, stating he was somewhere in Louisiana, but didn't know his destination. This is the first news Mrs. Gauntt has received from Albert in two weeks.

Mamma! Don't You See Your Child Is Sick, Constipated**Look at Tongue! Move Poisons From Liver and Bowels at Once.**

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Adv. 32-1f



"Oh! How I hate to get up in the morning"

Do you blame the soldier in this song for threatening the bugler that he will "amputate his reveille and step upon it heavily?" If you're human this breezy little song will strike a chord of sympathy.

"Oh! Frenchy"

—another sprightly song with clever words—all about Rosie who went to France with an ambulance and fell in love with Jean. Snatches of familiar songs of the French boulevards are recognized here and there.

Both songs are cheerily presented by Arthur Fields whose ability as a singer is paralleled by his reputation as a writer of popular songs.

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Two other good soldier songs

That clever comedienne, Marion Harris, tells what will happen to Hindenburg.

"When Alexander Takes His Ragtime Band to France"

When he hears American ragtime floating across the trenches he'll feel the need of something stronger than a boche gas-mask. And Miss Harris gives voice effectively to the sentiment.

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Both of these songs are on one Victor Double-faced Record, 18486.

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in Austin by State's Greatest
School, Reimbursement for
Which Will Be Made by the
Federal Government—Various
Schools to Be Enlarged.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—The war activities of the University of Texas have progressed until they are now far greater than those of any other educational institution in the United States. This statement is borne out by the official records of the universities and colleges in the matter of training men for the army.

President R. E. Vinson of the University since the declaration of war has devoted his time and energy constantly toward building up a military training establishment here. Many of his ideas along these military educational lines have been adopted by the War Department and are now in practice by educational institutions over the country.

It is stated by Dr. Vinson that notwithstanding the big scope of its military schools all departments of the University will be open and conducted as usual at the coming regular session. There may be a modification of re-adjustment of some of the courses to meet existing war conditions. The constructive ideas of Dr. Vinson which paved the way to the establishment of the different military schools at the University met with the hearty support of the Board of Regents of that institution. He devised the plan by which an expenditure of nearly \$1,500,000 will have been made for buildings and equipment for these military schools, reimbursement for this expenditure to be obtained from the Federal Government by the feeding, housing and instruction of the students by the University.

Radio School to Have 4,000.

The latest addition to the military training schools of the University will be situated just south of Austin upon a tract of 310 acres of land, where there is now being erected an administration building, six barracks buildings and a mess hall. All of these will be of brick construction of permanent type. They will be occupied by the Radio School which the University is now conducting. Besides these buildings four hangars for airplanes will be erected. The cost of the improvements will be approximately \$450,000, it is stated. This will be borne by the University which will be reimbursed later by the Government for the outlay. The Radio School of the University was established several months ago and has been conducted in the Engineering Building of that institution. When the new plant is finished the attendance will be increased from 400 to about 4,000 and the course of training will be enlarged.

In addition to this war work, the University recently completed the construction of a number of brick barracks buildings, administration building, mess hall, shops and lecture buildings at Camp Mabry, Austin, for the accommodation of the School of Automobile Mechanics which it is conducting for the Government. These buildings are erected at a cost of about \$500,000, and plans have just been adopted for the enlargement of the School by additional buildings and equipment which

will cost about \$130,000. The attendance at the School of Automobile Mechanics is now about 3,000 and it will be increased to about 6,000 when the new buildings are finished.

Seminary Turned Into Hospital.
The University is also conducting a School of Military Aeronautics, with an attendance of about 1200, for the Government. It expended \$167,000 in buildings and equipment for that school. Advices just received from Washington are to the effect that the School of Military Aeronautics here is to greatly enlarged. This may necessitate the erection of additional buildings by the University.

The University has also taken over the Theological Seminary at Austin and is converting it into a modern military hospital at a cost of about \$100,000. Besides its other war work, the University will conduct a Students' Army Training Corps beginning with the opening of the coming regular session of that institution. More than 2,700 students and former students and about fifty members of the faculty of the University are in the army. Most of them are already in France. Several hundred of these young men went through officers' training camps and received commissions as officers.

Sealed Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners Court of Wilbarger county, at Vernon, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m. September 20th, 1918, for \$105,000.00 Road District No. 1, Road Bonds, dated December 16th, 1917, bearing interest at 5 per cent, payable semi-annually. Bonds payable serially 1 to 30 years. Denomination \$500.00 each. "Passed by the Capital Issues Committee as not incompatible with the national interest, but without approval of legality, validity, worth, or security. Opinion No. A1567."

Bids will be filed with the County Clerk at Vernon, Texas, on or before 10 o'clock a. m. September 20th, 1918. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and all bids require an accompanying certified check for \$10,000.00 payable to E. L. McHugh, County Judge.

E. L. McHUGH,
County Judge.

Coca Cola—Pendleton's Drug Store.
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Mrs. Horace Anderson is visiting her husband in Burkburnett this week.

All kinds of school supplies at Ferguson Drug Co. Advt. 67-2c

Mrs. A. C. McConnell spent Sunday with friends in Wichita Falls.

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Instead of trimming your corn, which merely makes them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quarter of an ounce of freezezone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn stops the soreness instantly, and soon the corn shrivels up so it lifts right out, root and all, without pain. This drug freezezone is harmless and never it flames or even irritates the surrounding skin.

Adv. 18-1f

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and

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VERNON BOYS ARE AT BATTLE FRONT

MANY LETTERS RECEIVED SUN- DAY FROM SOLDIERS WHO HAVE GONE OVERSEAS.

Vernon boys are at the front in France. This is the substance of information received Sunday by Charles Withers from his brother, Owen. Owen is with the Seventh United States Engineers. Campbell Hagan is also with this division. They have been at the front six weeks.

"The flares go up all the time, and big shells bursting look just like the storms we used to have at home," Owen writes. "At first it made me nervous, but now I can sleep through it all, provided I have a chance."

A mail pouch came in from overseas men Sunday, and practically every person who has a son, brother, or friend in

France received a message.

Linton Sullivan, son of C. T. Sullivan, and Leonard Smith, son of Anderson Smith, have notified their parents that they are safe overseas. These men were on a transport which had to turn back to New York recently, after being several hundred miles out to sea.

Sergeant Martin Bellar is also safe in France, according to advice received here, as is Corporal Oliver Hise, son of W. A. Hise.

Rayland News.

Rayland, Sept. 5.—(By special correspondence)—John Waggoner of Garrison, New Mexico, is visiting his brother-in-law, W. A. Walker.

Miss Grachel Teague of Crowell is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Harry Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Kincheloe attended church and Sunday school at Rayland Sunday morning and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Will Parrish.

J. B. Bradford and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster of Parsley Hill Sunday.

Miss Sue Miller of Denton arrived

Sunday morning to teach school at Rayland. She will board with Mr. and Mrs. Will Parrish.

Jim Carter and Andy Davis left Thursday for training at Camp Travis. T. T. Golightly and family have moved from the W. A. Walker place to G. T. Key's farm, one mile east of Rayland, to pick cotton.

Mrs. W. H. Foster and children of Parsley Hill visited Mrs. E. I. Edwards Saturday afternoon.

Grandpa Greenhouse returned home last Friday from Wheeler county, where he has been visiting some time with his sons, Will and Harry Greenhouse. He reported good rains in that part of the country.

Curt Rennels passed through Rayland Sunday, en route to his home at Bowie. Mr. Rennels was in Post City last week on business. He reports the country even more drouth-stricken in that section than here.

John Rennels, living three miles southwest of Rayland, is wearing the broad smile of "Grandpa," as the stork visited the home of Prof. and Mrs. Fred Rennels on August 29 and presented

them with a 7-pound son. Mother and son are both doing well.

J. L. Gobin has returned home from the Burkburnett oil fields where he has been for the past two weeks, and has accepted a position with the Farmers Union Gin Company.

Jake Roberts returned home last week from Anderson county where he has been visiting his brother, Will Roberts, for the past six weeks. Mr. Roberts said Willbarger looked good to him after being among the pine trees so long.

The good rain that has fallen this week will be a great benefit to the late feed and cotton. Wheat farmers are busy now preparing their wheat land.

Miss Lilia Webb spent Saturday night with her friends, Misses Mattie and Alty Neel of Talmage.

Rev. Howard Whiteside of Vernon made a very interesting talk last Friday afternoon to the young people on phrenology.

Rob Abston spent Wednesday night with his cousin, Aileen French.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and their daughter and sister, Mrs. L. E. King Saturday

and Mrs. Pharis Hughs.

Rev. Siebert closed a ten-day meeting Sunday morning at the Christian Church, with nine additions.

The Baptist and Methodist union meeting began Sunday night with a good attendance. The preaching is being done by the Methodist pastor, Rev. Gattys of Margaret and Rev. W. T. Rouse of Vernon. The song service is conducted by T. T. Golightly and Tom Beazley.

Miss Minnie Foster of Parsley Hill is visiting friends in Rayland this week and attending the meeting.

Mrs. L. Lehmann and children moved to Vernon last week. E. Graf and family will move on the Lehmann place.

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Mrs. W. G. Swartz of Lawton was a visitor at the home of A. J. Liles during the County Fair.

E. L. King and Mrs. J. E. Garber from Mineral Wells visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. L. E. King Saturday and Sunday.

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MEMBERS OF CARTER FAMILY
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WEST OF ODELL.

A family re-union was held at the home of B. C. Carter, four miles west of Odell, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 28, 29 and 30. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Carter, those present were: Hamp Carter, wife and four children; Marvin M. Carter, wife and three children, from Elk City, Okla.; Rev. Gordon B. Carter, wife and four children, from Iowa Park; Dan Carter, wife and two children; and Ed Carter, from the United States Navy.

The re-union proved a very enjoyable affair, and was occasioned by the visit of Ed Carter, who was able to spend a few days at home while en route from New York to Freeport, Texas. He is in the United States Navy, and has been in the naval officers' training school. He will join a ship at Freeport for some additional training before returning to Pelham Island, New York, to complete his course. The course calls for four months of training, which equals the regular work of fourteen months at the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Mr. Carter expects to be commissioned an Ensign about December 1st.

He enlisted in the Navy March 2nd, and has made a splendid record. Few men, without technical training are admitted to the naval officers' training school, but young Carter had no difficulty in qualifying for admission.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter feel justly proud of their son's record.

Plainview Meeting Closed.

The revival meeting, conducted by Rev. Gordon B. Carter, pastor of the Plainview Methodist church, at Plainview schoolhouse, closed August 28th. There were twenty-one conversions and twenty additions to the church membership as a result of the services.

Notice Odell People.

All persons having barrels belonging to the Wichita Valley Refining Company Odell agency are requested to return them at once to J. C. Mitchell, Odell.

68-21p

Successful Meeting at Pleasant Valley.

The meeting at the Pleasant Valley school house has been closed. The interest was good throughout the ten days it was in progress. Several names were added to the church rolls.

BAPTIST MEETING CONTINUES. ODELL CONGREGATION IS HOLDING SERVICES IN METHODIST CHURCH, PENDING COMPLETION OF NEW BUILDING.

There were three confessions of faith at the Sunday night service of the revival meeting being conducted by the Baptist Church of Odell by Rev. W. H. Wynn, pastor of the Forest Avenue Baptist Church of Dallas.

The entire series of services have been held in the Methodist church. The new house of worship being erected by the Baptist congregation is not yet complete, and probably another week will elapse before the building is entirely finished.

The meeting will close this week.

ODELL PERSONALS.

Miss Mae Crain of Elmer, Okla., is visiting Miss Hester Crain.

Mrs. L. L. Boutwell has accepted a position at the Orient depot.

A large number of Odell citizens attended the county fair in Vernon Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. G. M. Still, who has been in Oklahoma for several months for the benefit of her health, returned Sunday, greatly improved.

John Coffey and Sebie Bell have gone to Clarendon to enter Clarendon College for the fall and winter term. Both young men enlisted in the students' Army training corps.

Frank Britton has gone to Lovington, New Mexico, where he has a position as rural mail carrier. Mrs. Britton and children will leave for their new home this week.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon McDougal, Tuesday, September 3rd, a son. Mr. McDougal is at Camp Travis, and his wife is staying at the home of her mother, Mrs. G. F. Cook, while her husband is in the Army.

John Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barnes, living east of Odell several miles, is reported considerably improved during the last few days. He has been suffering with a severe attack of typhoid fever, and his recovery was considered doubtful a few days ago.

Mrs. J. S. Bailey and children of Dallhart are visiting her father, A. M. Works. They came home with Mr. Works and family who have recently reached Vernon from an automobile trip to Colorado Springs.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. N. O'Neal Sunday morning.

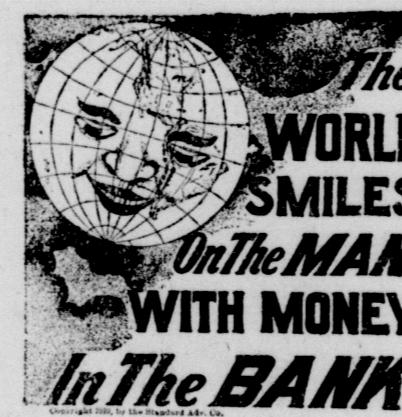
A. L. Campbell of Henrietta is working in Freeman's Barber Shop, having succeeded Orville O'Brien, who has gone to Camp Travis.

Miss Thelma Smith will leave Wednesday to enter Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. Miss Smith was a student in Texas Christian University last year. She will receive an A. B. degree after this year's work.

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To the People of Wilbarger County

The conditions of our county on account of the continued drouth have caused some apprehension that we would be unable to take our quota of the Fourth Liberty Loan, but we, in common with other patriotic citizens felt that our duty to the Government at this crucial period of the war demanded that a supreme effort be made to place our share of the bonds.

Under these circumstances, we feel that we have been exceedingly fortunate in securing the assistance of representatives of the California State Life Insurance Company, Messrs. F. F. Phillips, C. B. Johnson, L. C. White and W. A. Atchison, for this campaign.

These gentlemen have a plan for placing bonds with our people that will involve an outlay of a minimum of actual cash, and yet will enable our people to do what they want to do for the Government.

We commend both these gentlemen and their plan to our people. It is on a sound financial basis, and those who take advantage of it are protected in every sense of the word. It is approved by Federal Reserve Bank officials and the Insurance Department of the State of Texas.

Wilbarger County Council of Defense

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N. R. HEATH, Chairman Fourth Liberty Loan Campaign.

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Doans News.

Persons desiring to apply for seed wheat loans should fill out their applications at local banks immediately. This information was sent to N. R. Tisdal, county demonstrator, from the Government, yesterday. Recent rains have greatly increased the prospects for seed-wheat, and it will likewise increase the number of applications.

As soon as applications are made county inspection committees and county agents should verify the application and forward them without delay. After September 21 applications which are not correctly made out will not be considered, and no application mailed after September 30 will be considered.

The following list of "Don'ts" were sent to Mr. Tisdal:

"Don't send any application of minors. A minor can not obtain a seed grain loan without first applying to Probate Court for the appointment of a guardian, which could not be accomplished before it is too late for sending."

Miss Alline Rowland is in Vernon to attend the Holcomb Training School the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrold Briscoe gave the young people a party Thursday evening.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Collier, a boy, August 27th.

C. F. Doan is spending the week in Vernon with his daughter, Mrs. B. A. Ross.

Miss Winnie Owen spent Tuesday night with Misses Hazel and Bertha Thompson of near Odell.

Misses Grace and Delta Johnson visited friends in Vernon Saturday and Sunday.

"Don't send applications which fail

Red River News.

Red River, Sept. 9.—(By special correspondence.)—Most every one in this community is busy gathering their cotton.

Mr. T. A. Crawford visited with her daughter, Mrs. Wyatt Saturday evening.

Misses Mary Stowe and Ruth Perry called on Misses Edith and Beulah Timm Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hart spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gunnels, of near White City.

Cass Shaw and family called on P. H. Bingham and family Saturday.

Miss Rena Hart called on Mrs. Sherrill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blount of Chillicothe are visiting Oscar Timm and family.

Lela Stowe spent Saturday night with Estell Greer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Morgan spent Sunday with Mrs. Sherrill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson visited Mr. Timm and family Sunday.

Miss Connie Stockton called on Mrs. Crawford Sunday evening.

Red River community had a nice rain Monday and Tuesday night, which will be a great benefit to the late crops.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Evans spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Crawford.

Mrs. Ruth Pitts of Altus, Okla., is

visiting her sister, Miss Mary Stowe. Lee Barnes of Camp Travis is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Barnes.

Mrs. Sherrill and children spent Wednesday night with her son, Barnes Sherrill, and wife, of near Fargo.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon McDougal Monday 3rd, a boy.

Quite a few of the boys of this community left Thursday for training camp, among them were Will Sherrill, Elwyn Bingham, Cecil Brown, Ed Turner, Sd. Shires.

Carl Hart and Sidney West of Floydada, are visiting relatives at Odell.

Lloyd Long, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Long, is at home for ten days or two weeks. For about a year Lloyd has been in the United States Army Transport Service, and has rank of quartermaster. He has been back and forth across the Atlantic in his work a great many times, going to ports in Europe, both on the Atlantic and the Mediterranean.

Greek Davis of Margaret, came in from Fort Worth Friday en route home. He went to Fort Worth to drive a car for his father.

Mrs. A. F. Hope has returned from a two-weeks visit with her sisters, Mrs. B. F. Robinson of Burk Burnett and Mrs. Kate Bledsoe of Thornberry.

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Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—One Superior wheat drill, 12 dish and press wheels alfalfa seeder attached. Good as new. J. H. Kinchen.

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EXHIBIT OF WEST VERNON AWARDED COUNTY FAIR PRIZE

(Continued from page 1)

tatoes, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; peach butter, Mmes. J. H. Watts and C. J. Farrell; apple butter, Mmes. J. H. Pettit and J. E. Collins; plum butter, Mmes. C. J. Farrell and J. H. Watts; blackberry jelly, Mmes. E. L. McHugh and M. G. Neathery; crab apple jelly, Mrs. J. E. Collins; gooseberry jelly, Mrs. E. L. McHugh; grape jelly, Mmes. E. L. McHugh and Harry Mason; quince jelly, Mrs. C. J. Farrell; jam-jelly, Mrs. C. J. Farrell; apple jelly, Mrs. Harry Mason; preserved peaches, Mmes. J. E. Collins and N. R. Tisdal; preserved cherries, Mmes. F. L. Massie and J. H. Pettit; preserved plums, Mrs. J. H. Pettit; preserved water melon rind, Mmes. Joe Napier and F. L. Massie; vegetable relish, Mmes. J. H. Watts and M. G. Neathery; chow chow, Mmes. J. H. Watts and Harry Mason; stuffed peppers, Mrs. J. H. Watts.

For the best collections of fruits and vegetables, Mrs. J. H. Pettit was given first award, and Mrs. M. G. Neathery, second.

Mmes. J. H. Watts, S. E. Lloyd, C. J. Farrell and F. L. Massie were in charge of the department. Three women who do not live in Vernon, and but one in Wilbarger county acted as judges. There were no names on the articles, the judges placing by number.

Mrs. N. R. Heath was in charge of the textiles. In class A, limited to women more than 60 years old, the following awards were made: tatting specimen, Mrs. C. O. Hart; lace of any kind, Mrs. M. E. Nix; novelty, Mrs. R. Golden; calico quilt, Mrs. H. J. Dunlap first, Mrs. R. Golden second; wool quilt, Mrs. Joe Bowers; home made rug, Mrs. Joe Bowers.

In Class B, the following awards were made: tatting, Mrs. R. B. Clifton and Miss Florence Adams; knitting, Miss Lola Patterson; crochet, Mmes. Wayne Imel; infants' cap, Mrs. F. B. Cole; crocheted slippers, Miss Jessie Terry; bed set, Miss Izora Clark; Mrs. Harry Colley; embroidered bed spread, Mrs. Harry Colley; lunch cloth, Mmes. Lola Menderman and Wm. Denny; center piece, Miss Vineta Denny and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith; lunch set and six doilies, Mrs. Wayne Imel and Harry Colley; filet crochet, Miss Vineta Denny and Mrs. Wayne Imel; novelty crocheted, Mrs. Wm. Denny and Mrs. Wayne Imel; novelty crochet, Mrs. Wm. Denny and Miss Vineta Denny.

The following prizes were awarded for embroideries: French embroidery, Miss Esther Swartwood and Mrs. Streeter; colored embroidery, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith and Mrs. H. A. Klingler; gown, Miss Esther Swartwood and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith; napkins, Miss Esther Swartwood and Mrs. Joe Napier; pillow cases, Mmes. Elizabeth Smith and Mrs. Streeter; initial, Mrs. Ogleby and Mrs. Harry Colley; any article embroidered, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith; monogram, Mrs. Harry Colley; colored crochet gown, Miss Vineta Denny.

In plain and fancy sewing, the following awards were made: man's shirt, Mmes. J. H. Pettit and C. M. Blair; calico quilt, Mmes. Joe Bowers and J. H. Cato; hemstitching, Mrs. J. H. Pettit; novelty of any description, Mrs. H. A. Klingler.

In Class C, limited to girls under 18 years old, Miss Dorothy Heath was awarded first and second prizes for an embroidered gown; Miss Alice Golden won first, and Miss Irma Coleman second for crocheting, and Miss Irma Coleman won first on a sofa pillow.

MORE POULTRY AND PIG CLUB MEMBERS AT FAIR THIS YEAR

(Continued from page 1)

Best cock—Lila Mae Patterson. Best cockerel—Eva Hanse, Annie Freudiger. Best pullet—Opal Walker, Fred Nix. Best Eggs—Lila Mae Patterson, Hattie White. Best coop—Ray Alfred. Best sugarless cake—Lila Mae Patterson, Bertha Sullivan. Best loaf bread—Bertha Sullivan. Canned tomatoes—Lila Alfred, Leslie King, second. Canned beets—Eva King, Lila Alfred. Canned beans—Luna Killingsworth, Alice Martin. Canned okra—Eva King. Canned soup mixture—Luna Killingsworth. Canned peaches—Leslie King, Lila Alfred. Canned pears—Luna Killingsworth. Canned plums—Lillie Inmon. Canned onions—Leslie King. Pickled cucumbers—Eloise Gafford. Chow chow—Luna Killingsworth, Leslie King.

Watermelon rind preserves—Luna Killingsworth, Leslie King. Cup towel—Duc Truett, Vera Cox. Poultry cap and apron—Bertha Sullivan and Irene Reeves.

Canning cap and apron—Eva King and Lillie Inmon. Button holes—Lillie Inmon, Lila Alfred.

Poultry history—Lola May Patterson, Pearl Mathus.

Poultry record book—Eva Hanse, Marvin Wilson.

Canning history—Leslie King, Lila Alfred.

Canning record book—Alice Martin, Lila Alfred.

Baskets, first year—Eva Hanse, Ruby Sellers.

Baskets, second year—Alice Golden, Bertha Sullivan.

Poultry, first year, general display—Vera White, Pearl Mathus.

Poultry, second year, general display—Rama Parmy, Lola Mae Patterson.

Best pen, first year—Vera White, Ruby Sellers.

Best pen, second year—Pearl Mathus, Rama Parmy.

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Misses Katherine and Mary Dodson are visiting Mrs. Faye Lisman in Fort Worth.

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Miss Mary Head of Abilene, who has been visiting friends in Vernon, will return home this week.

Miss Nell Hagler spent Sunday in Vernon. She will teach this year at Harrold.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McColloch and daughters, Misses Katherine and Ruth, have returned from Colorado, where they spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stovall of Wichita Falls spent Saturday in Vernon with friends while en route to Quanah to spend Sunday.

H. C. Colbert and son-in-law John Patton, shipped their household goods to Tulsa, Okla., yesterday and will leave for that place this week to make their home. Mr. Patton is a son-in-law of Mr. Colbert.

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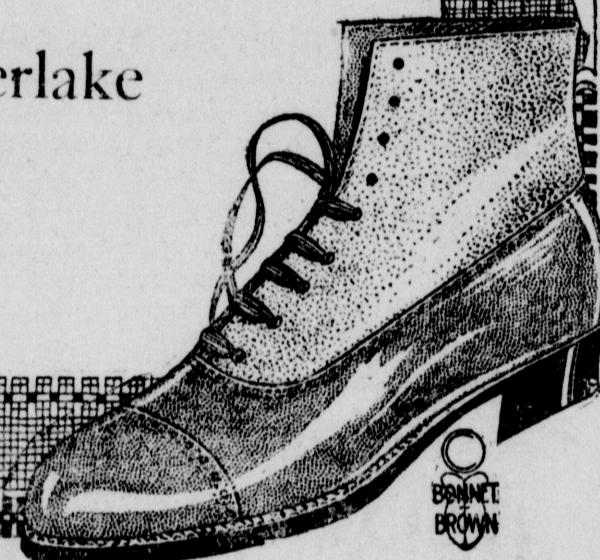
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